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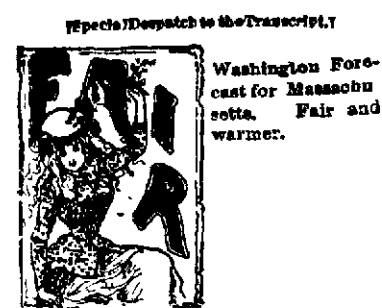








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NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE

## GOLD FROM EUROPE

The Yellow Metal To Again Move This Way.

FIRST SHIPMENT NEXT SATURDAY

Good Effect Already Noted on the New York Stock Exchange and the Business Outlook Is Brighter—Causes Given for Its Importation.

New York, Aug. 20.—The news that gold was to be imported from Europe this week has already shown beneficial effect on the stock market and the general financial situation. The importations are the result of the reduction in the price of sterling exchange which, in turn, reflects the great improvement in the general situation, politically and financially, as compared with a week ago. How much gold has been ordered cannot be positively stated, but it is announced that Lazard Freres had ordered \$2,000,000 in gold from London by next Saturday's steamer, and that other orders would be given or had already been placed. Some of the leading associated banks, it is said, have helped to bring about the importations of gold by leading money for the purchase of commercial bills against cotton, etc., going forward at rates which permit gold to be imported at a profit. This tends to relieve the pressure from the country banks for money to move the crops. Bankers reported today in corroboration of this view that there was a decrease in the high rates for time loans, although the high rates for such loans were still maintained. The call money market is also distinctly easier.

Revolving Exchange Market Demoralized.

The sterling exchange market is practically demoralized. Bankers' demands for gold were sold at 4.85, a rate, it was said, which would under certain circumstances permit the importation of gold without loss. As commercial bills are being bought for less it is unnecessary to speculate how gold can be imported at this time at a profit. There were, however, numerous reports in circulation to account for the fall in exchange and the importation of gold. One was to the effect that the gold was to be brought here as the result of a triangular operation in which the German bank was the party of the third part. The price at which the gold can be bought in Europe undoubtedly plays an important part in the transaction. Another reported reason for the break in sterling was that a large amount of exchange had been released, that is, thrown on the market by those who bought it to hold. Some of these were said to be banks who had given the government some of their gold in exchange for legal tenders a few weeks ago and had hedged, that is, protected themselves by purchasing sterling. The last report, it may be said, lacked confirmation.

Increased Circulation by Banks.

In connection with the efforts to relieve the pressure for time money from country banks it is learned that several banks had this week increased their circulation for that purpose, thereby also enabling some of the foreign bankers and others to purchase commercial bills of exchange. Some of the banks, besides using their own funds for that purpose, have lent foreign bankers money on the United States bonds they purchased at the time of the last government loan. The loans run for a year and the banks have the use of the bonds for the purpose of taking out circulation. This some of them have done to their full limit, that is, 90 per cent of their capital. Thus a double purpose is served by the transaction. It is estimated that between three and four million dollars will be added to the circulation in that way this week, all of which goes to the relief of the time money market and aids in moving the crops.

Return of Bishop Potter.

New York, Aug. 20.—Bishop Potter returned on the Majestic from a European trip yesterday. In reference to the English view of the silver movement in the United States, he said: "I had a conversation with a very distinguished member of the liberal government, and he expressed himself very hopefully in regard to the situation. I saw one or two members of the present government also, and was glad to see that they were all hopeful about the present situation."

Smoked Cigarettes on a Wager and Died.

Philadelphia, Aug. 20.—As the result of an attempt to see how many cigarettes he could smoke in half an hour and to win a wager, 14-year-old George F. Ellwell is dead. The boy was lighting his twentieth cigarette when the half hour was up. The lad was taken sick during the night and he died in considerable agony.

MISS CLEMENTS DEAD.

Daughter of the Famous Hummel's Passes Away at Hartford.

Hartford, Aug. 20.—Olivia Susan Clements, eldest daughter of Samuel L. Clements, is dead at her father's home from an attack of acute meningitis. Mr. Clements is expected to arrive from Europe on the City of Paris to-morrow.

New Jersey Democratic Convention.

Jersey City, Aug. 20.—The democratic state committee of New Jersey has issued a call for the state convention to be held at Taylor's opera house, Trenton, September 2. It is expected that Mr. Bryan will be present and make a speech. The committee also endorsed the nomination of Bryan and Sewall by a formal vote of ten to four. Edward F. C. Young, Richard J. Donnelly, William J. Keyes and Samuel M. Williams, who voted in the negative, made speeches in favor of the gold standard.

Died in a Barber's Chair.

Trenton, Aug. 20.—Jacob D. Joelyn, superintendent of the Globe Rubber company and a leading member of the prohibition party in this state, died from heart failure yesterday while sitting in a barber's chair. He was 64 years of age and leaves a wife and an only child.

## NON-UNION MAN BEATEN.

He Shows One of His Assaults and Causes Much Excitement at Lynn.

Lynn, Mass., Aug. 20.—A small-sized riot occurred at the Thomas G. Plant & Co.'s shoe factory last evening. Wm. J. Whitten of Haverhill, a non-union laborer, was entering the factory when he was set upon by members of the crowd that had gathered at the entrance and quite severely beaten. He drew a revolver and fired point blank at one of his assailants, Charles O. Barlow, inflicting a flesh wound in the thigh. When Barlow and a companion named George Pearson went to Dr. Leland W. Baker's office for medical assistance the doctor notified the police and the two men were arrested for assault on Whitten. Barlow and Pearson are laborers employed in another factory in Lynn, but are strong sympathizers with the Plant company strikers. The shooting caused much excitement and there is much feeling against Whitten, who was arrested a few days ago for using his pistol in self-defense, but was discharged.

FIRE ON THE ADMIRAL.

Feudal Member Made by a Cruiser in the Practice of the French Fleet.

Toulon, Aug. 20.—In the course of artillery practice by the ships of the Mediterranean squadron near here the torpedo cruiser Vaucluse fired her machine gun at a target which was being towed by the battleship Brennus. Through some fault in the management of the gun the shot from the Vaucluse was allowed upon the bridge of the Brennus, where Admiral Gervais and the officers of his staff were stationed in the conning tower observing the practice. The glass in the tower was shattered and the structure badly injured, but fortunately the admiral and his aides were not hurt. The helmsman of the Brennus, however, was seriously wounded.

THE REPORTED INDIAN FIGHT.

The Story Published Yesterday New Said To Be Without Foundation.

Tucson, Ariz., Aug. 20.—The News correspondent has just come from the place where the fight was said to have taken place Tuesday between the Yaqui Indians and troop E, seventh cavalry. He found the report of the fight to be without foundation. The soldier who brought the story here and who represented himself as a courier from Capt. Hart's troop, seventh cavalry, on sick leave, is under arrest. The Indians in this vicinity are quiet.

Whitewash Visit a Circum.

Knoxville, Tenn., Aug. 20.—Some time ago the European circus wagon show billed Sevierville for a performance yesterday. This being the first tent show to visit the mountain town, a committee of white caps sent the circus people word that everything on the bills should be shown or the tent would be torn down and burned. The show arrived yesterday, and as soon as the tent had been erected drunken men and boys on the gay ropes. A general fight followed. Twenty men were badly hurt.

A Curfew Law at Topeka.

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 20.—The city council has enacted a curfew law. It provides that all children under sixteen years of age who are found on the streets or in public places unaccompanied by guardians after 9 p. m. in summer and 8 p. m. in winter shall be arrested and fined not less than \$5 nor more than \$25. The first trial will begin on evening fifteen minutes before the hour fixed by the law.

Majestic Breaks Her Record.

New York, Aug. 20.—The White Star steamship Majestic, which arrived at Quarantine yesterday, made the fastest passage she has ever made from Southampton to this port. Her time of passage was 5 days, 17 hours and 55 minutes, which is twelve minutes better than her best previous record made four years ago. She experienced fine weather and smooth seas throughout.

Dying from Glanders.

St. Louis, Aug. 20.—Mrs. Blaise, wife of George Blaise, a gardener living on Oak Hill avenue, whose daughter died from glanders, is also dying from the same disease, which was transmitted from the family orse. It is feared that other members of the family will be stricken with the horrible malady.

Three Friends Ordered Released.

Washington, Aug. 20.—The collector of customs at Jacksonville, Fla., has been directed to release the Three Friends, if, in the judgment of the collector, the facts in the case warrant such action. No doubt is expressed by officials here that the facts do not justify her further detention.

A Monument to Thomas Chittenden.

Williston, Vt., Aug. 20.—A beautiful granite monument erected to the memory of Thomas Chittenden, one of the founders of Vermont and governor of the state for nearly a decade, was dedicated with appropriate ceremonies here yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large gathering.

Castles Built at Gray Gables.

Buzzards Bay, Mass., Aug. 20.—Lighthouse tender Mistleton was here yesterday and Secretary Carlisle made a short call on the president. After the Mistleton returned, the president, Mr. Thurber and Dr. Bryan went sailing down the bay.

To Blow Up an Infants.

Madrid, Aug. 20.—The Herald asserts that the authorities have discovered the existence of a plot to blow up the castle of Granja, at San Ildefonso, the residence of the Infanta Isabel, aunt of the king.

Treasury Gold Reserve.

Washington, Aug. 20.—The treasury gold reserve at the opening of business today stood at \$104,351,051.

Col. Sawtelle Promoted.

Washington, Aug. 20.—The president has appointed Col. Charles G. Sawtelle quartermaster general of the United States army, vice R. N. Batchelder, retired. Gen. Sawtelle is now on duty as Governor's island, New York.

Don. W. D. Balfour Dead.

Toronto, Aug. 20.—Hon. William Douglas Balfour, provincial secretary in the Ontario government, died at 6 o'clock last evening from acute hemorrhage of the lungs.

## MAJ. M'KINLEY BUSY

All Spare Moments Spent on His Letter of Acceptance.

THE DOCUMENT NEARLY COMPLETED

Most of It Already in Type and the Presses Read and Revised—To Be Made Public, Probably, About the First of September.

Canton, O., Aug. 20.—Major McKinley now devotes most of his time when he is not receiving callers and dictating to his private secretary such correspondence as the latter cannot attend to himself, to work on his letter of acceptance, and during the past two days he has devoted several hours to that task. The letter is almost completed and a greater part of it is in type. Of this the proofs have been read and revised by Mr. McKinley. The letter will probably be made public about the first of September, it is believed. Ex-Labor Commissioner Lewis of this state and several men prominent in labor circles called on the major yesterday afternoon. They stated that the working men of Ohio have a kindly feeling for the republican candidate for the presidency. At half past four Major and Mrs. McKinley went for a long drive with Mr. and Mrs. George Freese, some of their Canton friends. Many telegrams of greeting from political organizations were received by Major McKinley last evening.

Flag Hoisting at Portland.

Portland, Me., Aug. 20.—The Lincoln club had an auspicious flag raising last night, opening the local campaign. Two flags were run out. Then a procession was formed and marched to the Portland club, where another flag was run out as the procession passed. They then marched to the house of Hon. T. B. Reed on Deering street, where the band played and Mr. Reed made a speech from the balcony. At the close of Mr. Reed's speech the procession marched to the residence of Hon. F. E. Richardson, where Gov. Cleaves was serenaded and addressed the assembly on national and local issues.

Refuse To Accept American Silver Coin.

St. Johns, N. F., Aug. 20.—All banks doing business in this colony refuse to accept American silver coin and demand five per cent discount on American life insurance. The policy holders of the American life insurance company are starting an agitation demanding that the policies be endorsed as payable in gold. The uncertainty of the financial and political problem in the United States is responsible for this.

Full on Their Financial Chances.

Albany, Aug. 20.—The grand council of the Order of United Friends, which closed its session here last evening, took a vote of the delegates on the financial situation, the result standing: Gold standard, 63; free silver, 27. Utica was selected as the place for next year's meeting.

TO HEAD OFF SPAIN.

Washington Officials Giving Attention to the Filling Station Matter.

Washington, Aug. 20.—Spain's determination to present a bill against the United States for alleged failure to stop filibustering has aroused the authorities here to counteraction as a means of offsetting Spain's bill. Orders have been issued from the treasury department for the collection of evidence to disprove Spain's claims. Commanders of revenue cutters and collectors of customs will be required to acquire affidavits from the masters of suspect vessels showing the exact limits of their operations and particulars setting forth the difficulties they have encountered in eluding United States officials. The purpose of this is to secure a body of evidence showing the non-participation of the United States even though Spain succeeds in establishing the fact that filibustering has been carried on. Officials say this will overcome the president in the Alabama case, on which Spain relied, as that was based on Great Britain's passive acquiescence in the arming of the Alabama.

LEAF TOBACCO CROP.

Highest Uniform Quality and Yield For Area Ever Harvested.

Springfield, Mass., Aug. 20.—More than half of the cigar leaf tobacco crop grown in the United States has been safely harvested, and up to date returns to New England Homestead warrant in pronouncing it the highest uniform quality and largest yield per acre ever harvested. Returns show 20,000 plants of this crop this year compared to 25,000 in 1897, while about 83,000 acres were devoted to cigar leaf this year compared to 100,000 in '97. This is exclusive of Florida, where considerable interest in the crop has been shown and where leaf of particularly fine quality has been produced by experienced native and Cuban planters. If the now unharvested crop averages in yield with that already cut the crop will equal 225,000 cases (300 pounds to the case). The quality promises to be equal, if not superior, to that of the famous '98 crop, which made over 300,000 cases. The proportion of the crop suitable for wrapper leaf promises to be large.

GALLAGHER'S RELEASE.

Said to Have Lost His Reason in the English Prison.

London, Aug. 20.—Inquiries made at the United States embassy here show that the officials do not know when Dr. Gallagher of New York, the Irish-American political prisoner will be released. They have communicated with the doctor's friends in the United States, but the latter have not yet replied. The officials of the home office decline to state whether Dr. Gallagher is insane or not, the Farnellists claiming that he has lost his reason.

Herbert Saluted by the Mississippis.

Southampton, Aug. 20.—When the American line steamship St. Louis arrived here from New York she was saluted with twenty-one guns by the United States frigate Mississippi, as Secretary Herbert was on board. Admiral Selkridge and Capt. Hunker, in full uniform, met Mr. Herbert as he landed.

## BRYAN AT ELLERSLIE

With His Wife and Party He Visits Gov. Morton's Country Seat.

MAKES A SPEECH AT RHINEBECK

Hearing of His Coming, a Reception Committee Is Hastily Organized and the Little Hotel Decorated—Followed by an Impromptu Presentation.

Upper Red Hook, N. Y., Aug. 20.—At 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Bryan and Mr. and Mrs. Ferrine, their hosts, left Upper Red Hook in a covered wagon to drive over to Ellis Island, Gov. Morton's home. With them went the Misses Ferrine and a number of friends in vehicles and on bicycles. Others joined them along the road, and by the time Ellerslie was reached the procession was quite formidable. The route was through Red Hook, or the lower village, past the estates of John Jacob Astor, John Armstrong Chanler and other persons of wealth, and through Rhinecliffs to Governor Morton's celebrated stock farm. Mr. Bryan and his friends inspected the stock stable and the dairy houses under escort of Gov. Morton's superintendent, who had been instructed from Albany by the governor's private secretary, Col. Ashley W. Cole, to show the candidate every estate of his name. Leaving Ellerslie, Mr. Bryan and his party visited the estate of Col. Jacob Ruppert, the brewer, and then started for Rhinebeck, where they were to have supper. On the way Mr. Bryan was waylaid by Rev. Mr. Richards, pastor of the Hillside Methodist church, and invited to visit the church fair in progress in a tent near by. Mr. Bryan paid \$2 for the admission of the party and made liberal purchases of ice cream and cake. Rhinebeck people were on the lookout for the democratic candidate. He had telephoned to have supper for himself and friends at 6 o'clock, and when he arrived he found the ancient Rhinebeck hotel, where the meal had been ordered, decorated with bunting in his honor. Not only that, but a reception committee was awaiting him and they had a brass band and were prepared to do honor to his present prominent position. There were republicans as well as democrats on the committee, and Mr. Bryan was informed that the reception was intended to be entirely non-partisan. Three hundred people gathered in front of the hotel and applauded when Mr. Bryan stepped upon the decorated balcony. He was introduced by George L. Esselsteyne, a prominent republican. Mr. Bryan made a short speech, expressing his great pleasure at the impromptu reception. During his remarks he referred to the present campaign and touched on the money question. Mr. and Mrs. Bryan and Mr. and Mrs. Ferrine had a sign-man drive through the moonlight from Rhinebeck to Upper Red Hook. It was late when they reached the home of the Perrines. They were followed along the country road to Upper Red Hook by farmers in wagons and carriages and men and women on bicycles. As they proceeded the impromptu procession grew larger, as people living along the road would fall into line.

Accepts Bryan's Statement as True.

Chicago, Aug. 20.—Before leaving for New York last night Senator Thurston accepted as conclusive proof of the falsity of the charge, the statement made by Mr. Bryan that he had never been in the employ of silver mine owners or silver associations. Senator Thurston, at Madison, Wis., recently quoted the charge made in the editorial columns of the Chicago Chronicle and called on Mr. Bryan to say if the accusation was true or false. The senator said last night: "Mr. Bryan's word is enough for me, and I shall be glad to say as much to the people of the country in my next public address. Mr. Bryan has denied the charge which was made by a democratic newspaper and I have no hesitation in believing him."

Collecting Data in Mexico.

Mexico City, Aug. 20.—J. M. Hawthorne, envoy of the silver party of the United States, is here collecting data for use in the campaign. Jockeys in Trouble. Sheepshead Bay Race Track, N. Y., Aug. 20.—Jockey Ted Sican, having been reported by the starter for repeated disobedience at the post, the stewards of the present meeting here have suspended him from riding for five racing days with a caution that a repetition of the offense will be followed by a recommendation to the stewards of the Jockey club that his license be revoked. Jockeys Tighe, Waghmare and McDonald were reprimanded for discounting without permission.

Work on Ellis Island.

Washington, Aug. 20.—The contract for building the crib work at Ellis Island, N. Y., has been awarded to Spearin & Preston of Bayonne, N. J., at \$17,425. It has been decided to erect a covered way of 353 feet from the landing at Ellis Island to the main building and proposals have been invited for the work.

A Confused Firebug.

Boston, Aug. 20.—William J. Livingston of Worcester has confessed to State Fire Marshal Whitcomb that he set fire to his restaurant, at 225 Front street, Worcester, on Aug. 5.

An American Missionary's Discovery.

Liverpool, Aug. 20.—Mr. Snyder, an American missionary, has arrived here from the Congo Free State. He says he penetrated more than a thousand miles in the interior of the state and discovered a large lake. Mrs. Snyder, the wife of the missionary, died recently.

To Increase Capital Stock.

New York, Aug. 20.—At a special meeting of the stockholders of the Third Avenue Railroad company the proposition to increase the capital stock of the company from \$9,000,000 to \$12,000,000 was adopted.

## WELL KNOWN HERE

Career of the Late Baron Von Zedtwitz in America.

MARRIED A LOUISVILLE BEITRESS

The Only Couple Ever Married in the Catholic University Chapel at Washington—Sympathy from Queen Victoria.

Washington, Aug. 20.—Baron von Zedtwitz, whose death by accident occurred on his yacht Isolde, was married while attached to the German legation in this city, the event forming the climax to a brilliant and successful official and social experience. His bride was Miss Lena Caldwell, the wealthy heiress of Louisville, whose sister, Miss Mary Gwendolen Caldwell, made the project of establishing a Catholic university in Washington practicable by a gift of \$300,000. The marriage ceremony was the first and only one ever celebrated in the chapel of the Catholic university, and most fittingly so, as the bride had built the chapel as a memorial to her mother. The marriage ceremony was attended only by the relatives of the bride and the necessary witnesses and was followed by a wedding breakfast at the Arlington hotel. The latter was a grand event and was attended by the diplomatic corps and most of the prominent people in society. Just previous to his marriage Baron von Zedtwitz had been appointed minister to Mexico and to that country he first took his bride. Since their return to Germany the baron's prominence was in every way enhanced by his charming wife, Miss Mary Gwendolen Caldwell, who has lived abroad, mostly in Paris, since her sister's marriage.

Newspaper Tributes.

Berlin, Aug. 20.—The Reichsanzeiger, the official journal, to-day publishes a tribute to the late Baron von Zedtwitz and testifies to the zeal displayed by him in the official positions he occupied.

Sympathy of the Queen.

London, Aug. 20.—The queen has telegraphed to the royal Albat Yacht club expressing her regrets because of the death of Baron von Zedtwitz.

LORD RUSSELL ENTERTAINED.

Brilliant Reception to the Distinguished Englishman at Saratoga.

Saratoga, N. Y., Aug. 20.—Judge George S. Bacheiller, formerly presiding justice of the international tribunal in Cairo, Egypt, who has a handsome town house here, gave a reception at 9:30 o'clock last evening in honor of Rt. Hon. Lord Russell of Killowen, lord chief justice of England, to meet the members of the American Bar association delegates and legal gentlemen in Saratoga at this time. Sir Frank Lockwood, Q. C., M. P.; Montague Crackenthorpe, Q. C., and James Fox, B. L., of Lord Russell's party, were also present. Although the affair was strictly of a judicial nature, Lady Russell, Lady Lockwood, Miss Russell, Miss Lockwood and Mrs. John W. Foster, the latter a guest of Mrs. Bacheiller, were present. The guests were received in the drawing room by Lord Russell and Judge Bacheiller. Late in the evening a collation was served. Among those present were ex-secretary of state John W. Foster, ex-minister Edward J. Phelps, United States Attorney General Harmon, president Moorfield Storey, Boston, and treasurer Francis Rowie of Philadelphia, of the American Bar association; G. A. Mercer of Georgia, C. C. Allen of Missouri, G. M. Sharp of Maryland, judges W. Howe, New Orleans; L. E. Wales, Delaware; James C. Withrow, St. Louis; O. P. Shiras, Dubuque; L. D. Brewster, A. V. W. Van Vleet, New York city; Thomas Deay, Chicago; R. S. Taylor, Indianapolis; Samuel F. Hunt, Cincinnati; Seth Shepard, Washington. V. M. Rose, Arkansas; J. Newton Flaro, Albany; and D. H. Johnson, Milwaukee; United States Senators George G. Wilmington, Del., and Charles F. Manderson, Omaha, Neb.; Walter S. Logan, Isaac F. Russell, Simon Stern, E. P. Wheeler and W. Allen Butler, New York city.

Report of Atkinson's Death a Canard.

Washington, Aug. 20.—A cable message received at the state department from Consul General Lee at Havana denies the report that Pearce Atkinson of Chicago had been killed in Cuba. Consul Lee says that Atkinson was seen at Pinar del Rio on August 1, several weeks after his supposed death had been reported in the United States, and that he was alive and well at last accounts.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Spot higher; trade dull.

August, 63½c; Oct., 63½c; Sept., 64½c.

Corn—Spot trade firm; fair inquiry.

August, 28½c; Sept., 28½c; Oct., 29½c.

Oats—Spot firmer; but trade dull.

Aug., 22½c; Sept., 22½c.

Lard—No net firm, with fair inquiry.

93.50.

Pork—Spot firm; moderate demand.

Extra prime, common, short clear, \$8.00@9.50; mess, \$8.00@9.75; family, \$10.00@11.00.

Eggs—Trade slightly firmer. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 13@13½c; southern, 11@12c; western, fresh, 11@12c; duck, 12½@14½c; geese, 12@16c; western, case, \$1.00@2.25.

Butter—Receipts heavy. Creamery, western extras, 16c; state and Pennsylvania, seconds to best, 15@15½c; creamery, western seconds